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Like Mist Before The Rising Sun!

Our enormous stock of Tobacco Canvas is melting away. Our farmer friends are beginning to realize how low our prices are and orders are pouring in by telephone and by mail.

Here Are Our Prices

And we vouch for it. The quality is far better than the price would indicate.

1c	Full Yard Wide	Poor Quality
2c	"	" Good
2½c	"	" Better
3c	"	" Extra
3½c	"	" Very Best

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Get Anderson Bros.

Hopkinsville's Greatest Store.

DON'T BE FOOLED

OUR
\$37.50
...BUGGIES

Have more wear and tear, and look better than any other cheap buggy on the market. They are put up better and have better material in them than you will get in anybody else's \$50.00 buggy, to say nothing of their cheaper ones. We fully guarantee them for twelve months. All we want is a chance to show you this job.

We Have a Full Line of High Grade Buggies

And Can Save You Big Money on Them.

WE BEAT THE WORLD ON RUBBER TIRES, ONLY \$10.00!

For 7-8 heavy two-wire Kelly or Goodyear Rubber Tires, THE BEST ON THE MARKET. We can give you the same tire in 3-4 for \$7.50 per set. Can you beat these prices? No, you cannot; neither can you get anything like as low prices on buggies, quality considered, as we will give you.

F. A. YOST & CO.
207 South Main St.

ONLY FIVE DAYS MORE!

Miss Ware Makes Another Gain This Week.

Miss Baker's Friends "Jess Laugh" and Look Confident.

Something Sure to Happen In the Grand Final Finish.

HAVE YOU VOTED? IF NOT YOU BETTER HURRY.

There has never been anything like it in the history of journalism in Hopkinsville. The Governor's race, the Judge's contest and everything else is now a side issue and will be until next Wednesday at 4 o'clock. Coupons are coming in, delinquents are paying up and even the children are discussing the outcome. It is no longer a contest between city and country. Miss Ware is getting many votes from all over the county and Miss Baker has a strong "organization" right here in town.

One of the contestants blushing denies that the furniture will be used to go to housekeeping. The other so far has "said nothing." Which one has entered the denial, we will not say until this time next week. It might detract from the sentimental aspects of the case. Right here, we want to again assure both sides, for it is now a finish fight between two young ladies, that the contest has been and shall be absolutely fair and impartial. We will furnish information to both sides as to who takes the paper and who does not, who has paid and who has not.

The count will be made by Mayor Joett Henry and County Judge W. T. Fowler, who will certify to its fairness.

The ballot-box is carefully guarded and all yellow or paid ballots have a private mark on them so they cannot be imitated. Coupons of course, cut from the

paper, cannot be duplicated and each counts one vote. The yellow ballots for paid subscriptions count 20 for every dollar.

Since last Tuesday about 1,400 ballots have been cast. Of these Miss Ware got 481, Miss Baker 382, Miss McKee 169, Miss Day 136, Miss Broady 126, and Miss Grace Butler, of Bainbridge, 15 votes.

Many visitors are calling at Pyle & Garnett's to see the \$110 set of furniture. It will be delivered to the winner on Friday March 6.

The vote up to noon yesterday stood as shown below. The last statement will be published next Tuesday. Then all is secret to the close.

Miss Tony Ware, city.....	6438
Miss Alberta Baker, Julien.....	6032
Miss Essie Day, Crofton.....	3491
Miss Daisy Rice, city.....	2826
Miss Bessie Russell, city.....	1356
Miss Addie Broady, city.....	1157
Miss Mattie Purcell, Lafayette.....	839
Miss Jean McKee, city.....	838
Miss Sarah Garnett, Pembroke.....	460
Miss Sallie Tandy, Pembroke.....	477
Miss Katie McDaniel, city.....	263
Miss Alice Scobey, city.....	161
Miss Annie M. Reynolds, county.....	141
Miss Maude Dawson, Herndon.....	122
Mrs. W. H. Jessup, city.....	81
Miss Louise Pace, Herndon.....	48
Miss Nona W. Beverly.....	21
Miss Grace Butler, Bainbridge.....	15
Miss Jackie West, Beverly.....	7
Miss Dickie Pace, Herndon.....	2
Miss Johnny Knight, county.....	1

HEAVIEST OF SEASON

Were Loose Sales This Week and Receipts Good.

The loose sales of tobacco on the floor by E. M. Wooldridge & Co. this week were the heaviest of the season and prices were very satisfactory all round. On Tuesday a very large quantity of the weed was disposed of and on yesterday the sales were still larger.

Cask sales on the breaks, together with private sales, were 37 hogheads. Sales for the year, 400 hogheads. Receipts for the week, 288 hhds. Receipts for the year, 2,920 hogheads.

Victim of Menstrues.

The little six-year-old son of Mr. James Morris, who lives on the Buttermilk road a few miles north of the city, died Tuesday of measles.

Christian County's Assessment.

The recapitulation of the county's assessment for the present year shows a grand total of \$9,213,830 worth of taxable property, an increase of \$618,630 over last year.

MRS. DORA LYNN,

Formerly of Hopkinsville, Dies in St. Louis.

News has just been received here of the death of Mrs. Dora Lynn, in St. Louis.

Deceased was the widow of John W. Lynn, once a prominent lawyer of Hopkinsville, and was a sister to Mr. O. S. Brown, of Crofton, and the late C. M. Brown. She was raised near Crofton and she and her husband moved to Emporia, Kan., about 25 years ago. After the death of her husband Mrs. Lynn moved to St. Louis, where she had since resided. She was about 50 years old and is survived by two daughters.

The remains were taken to Emporia and placed by the side of those of her husband.

In The Hands of P. A. & G.

The estate of Tancy Hall has been referred to D. E. Fowler, public administrator and guardian, for administration and settlement.

OPENS CAMPAIGN.

Col. Robert J. Breckinridge Speaks at Stanford.

He Declared That Gov. Beckham Was Not Eligible to Succeed Himself.

Stanford, Ky., Feb. 23.—Former Attorney General Robert J. Breckinridge made the opening speech of his campaign for the Democratic nomination for Governor here today. He made the claim that the nomination was due him from the fact that he was kicked out of the office of attorney general, to which office he had as clear a title as Governor Beckham or any other of the State office holders. He said the ousting of him from office was an outrage on the Democratic party.

The speaker devoted considerable time to attacking the eligibility of Governor Beckham for re-election. He declared that he had studied the question thoroughly and he had no doubt whatever of Beckham's ineligibility to succeed himself. He said that the constitution was clear on the fact that no governor could succeed himself in office. Col. Breckinridge will speak at Frankfort on March 2 and invites Col. Hendrick and Gov. Beckham to meet him. He says he wants to meet Gov. Beckham above everything else.

BIG FLOOD FEARED.

Ohio River Ten Miles Wide and Still Rising.

Much land sowed in wheat in Illinois and Indiana has been overflowed by the Ohio river, which is still rising. The rise is not rapid, but steady, and some old river prognosticators say it will stay up until March, when rains will set in and cause the biggest flood ever known in the Ohio Valley. The Ohio in places between Evansville and Paducah is from eight to ten miles wide.

BUSH AT CROFTON.

Has an Appointment to Speak Saturday.

Judge C. H. Bush has an appointment to speak at Crofton Saturday afternoon, the 28th, at 1:30 o'clock and extends an invitation to Judge Cook to accept a division of time. It is understood that Judge Cook will be present and that the speaking will be a joint discussion.

BEGINNING TO BUZZ.

Candidates and Friends of Candidates On the Wing.

Advance Guard of State Aspirants Strike Hopkinsville This Week.

Mr. John B. Chenault, of Richmond, Democratic candidate for Auditor, was in town this week and says his prospects for success are very bright. Nearly everybody here knows Mr. Chenault, and he has but little opposition in this county.

Col. Jack Chinn was in town Wednesday and at Pembroke yesterday in the interest of his son, Morgan Chinn, steward of the Feeble Minded Institute, who is a candidate against Robt. L. Green for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Col. Chinn made many friends here, but he found nearly everybody for Robt. Green.

Senator J. Campbell Cantrell, of Georgetown, was here this week in the interest of his friend, Mr. T. T. Hedger, who is a candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture.

Hos. R. C. Crenshaw, candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, was in town Wednesday.

WILL TAKE THE STUMP

To Defend Himself From Judge Cook's Charges.

Mr. James B. Allensworth, who was referred to by Judge Cook in his speech Monday and later by a local paper, as having been in a combination to get Judge Bush to run, will take the stump to defend himself and to assist Judge Bush in his canvass. He will speak at one or two places in South Christian this week, and promises to throw some light on "combinations" in general. He promises to use some very plain language in his speech.

PETITION DISMISSED

In Case of Cadiz Railroad Company Against Roach.

The Court of Appeals reversed the judgment in the Trigg Circuit Court in the case of the Cadiz Railroad Company against C. J. Roach, and directed dismissal of the petition. Roach sought cancellation of a contract allowing the railroad company right of way through his farm.

SPRING

Dress Goods.

New Silks,

Nice Line of Linens

For Waists, Dresses and Skirts,

New White Goods in Endless Variety.

Mercerized Gingham & Linens.

Spring Stock of Carpets

and Mattings.

T. M. Jones,
Hopkinsville, Ky.

A SIGNBOARD DISPLAY.

Curious Exhibition Made at Paris--
Competitive Designs Offered.

The 20th-century competitive signboards on view at the Hotel de Ville interest and amuse Paris, says London Truth. This exhibition has been got up by M. Detaille, who is tired, he protests, of the uniformity of modern Paris, and imagines that if shopkeepers could be induced to hang out "signs," as in former times, there would be less cause for complaint. Would there? We have already *Part de l'affiche*, which is charming when reduced to the proportions of the quarto volume, but frightful when spread out to the size of American placards on boards.

The old-fashioned signboard arose out of the general conditions of the time in which it flourished. If one then sent a servant fresh from the country on an errand to M. Dupont, the silk merchant, or to Mlle. Mallarmée, the mistress, in such or such a street, the messenger could not find the shop because unable to read; but if the mistress said: "Go to the sign of 'la Belle Arlesienne,' " or to that of "le Chapeau Fleuri," there would be no danger of not being able to deliver the message.

Only a few signs of good means knew how to read and write, though in Paris schools of design were so numerous that nearly all the working-class people knew how to draw, and even the milliner's assistant could sketch a hat or a bonnet, or bring up to fashion with a hat or bonnet placed on it such as the former proposed to furnish. It was of the greatest importance to make clever sketches of this kind. The French are not a visual people, but must have a picture before them to an extraordinary degree in the eighteenth century. They were not a people of a delicate and simple, but especially the latter, Signboards to accomplish the objects of those who hold them out had to catch the eye and hang it on a simple, clear, striking and to answer exactly to their name. There could be no mistake about a *belle manne*, a *bonne robe*, a *bonnet à la polonoise*, or *le carpe et le lapin*, or *le dindon d'or*, or *fourre blanc*, or *le renard et le poulx*. Houses in front of which the pictorial sign swung seldom rose higher than a first floor and an attic.

The ground was low, the streets were narrow, and had bends which greatly added to their picturesqueness, and if the houses devoted to commercial purposes were often mean-looking, their great variety gave them a kind of charm which the signboard enhanced.

The eye is now surfeited with l'arde l'affiche, illuminated advertisements, advertising vanishing pictures, advertisement vans, and placards, to take in a sign of old-fashioned proportions and character. The

three be at the Hotel de Ville exhibition would, if hung out over shop doors, be scarcely noticed. They are "Au Fin Gourmet," by Truett; "L'Ané Rouge," by Willette, and "C'est P'ti Cien," by Gerome. "Au Petit Mousquetaire," by Detaille, is too complex, too subtle, too overladed with details. The eye has to take in rose bushes, a stone vase and a stone balustrade, on which the Petit Mousquetaire is seated in a coquettish attitude. To be sure, the artist has been

altitude. It has to take in the white clouds and the outspread wings that, sprouting from his shoulders, form a background, and the tree behind them. Nothing hits the eye or amuses. "Au Fil Gourmet," on the other hand, strikes as easy to remember, and is very amusing. We see a flock of white geese that have just come to a copper steampan. The utensils excite the curiosity of some, shame others, and

There is an intuitive idea among them that it is their fate to be stewed in that saucepan which is funnily

ly a donkey's head looking out through a round aperture and bray

ing. "O P'ti Cien" represents a dead little white dog that represents the image of misery as *il fait le beau*, or "begs." A pair of spring eyeglasses are over the dog's head. This sign i

Spiders and Wasps.

In a late interesting account of spider life Dr. Dallinger describes the ruthless destruction by the ichneumonid, and by certain wasps. The usual

of certain wasps can live only on live spiders and the mother wasp, therefore, renders the spiders powerless by her sting—after which they can live a month—and then deposits them in

the cocoon where she has placed her egg. On hatching out, the wasp grub feeds on the bodies of the living spiders. Another wasp deposits her egg in the body of the spider, which

then buried alive and is fed upon by the wasp grub.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. They do not beget the pill habit.

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

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Of Every Description and Price.

Why send away from home for a monument or tombstone when you can buy the same at home cheaper?

When you give an order to an agent you pay more, for they get a commission of 25 per cent. which is added to the work they sell, and also the freight. Keep your money at home by patronizing a home shop.

Sewing Machines!

They - Run - Lighter.

Feed Faster and Last Longer than any other lock stitch machine. Sew 300 stitches while other machines sew 200. As fast as the tick of a watch. Standard of excellence and the greatest machine ever offered the public.

For a cheaper machine we offer you our "Favorite," which can not be excelled for the money. Call and be convinced.

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Business College

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For 20 Years Has Led All Worm Remedies. **EVERY BOTTLE GUARANTEED.**
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
 Prepared by **JAMES F. BALLARD, St. Louis.**

WANT to BUY 200 FAT Horses and Mules!

**MONDAY, MARCH 2,
WILL BE AT
Cooper's Stable,**

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And will pay the highest market price. Bring them in and get the cash.

W. H. Webb.

ROOFING, Guttering, Tinware, Stoves, Etc.

**D. M. Ferry & Co's.
Bulk Garden Seed,
Sweet Peas,
And all Kinds of
Flower Seed.**

G. G. GREER ESTATE,

'Phone 301-3. Ninth Street, Near L. & N. Depot.

SEEDS THAT SUCCEED!

The Seed House of D. Landreth & Sons, the oldest in America, has had 119 years experience with seeds, and the results of this are placed at the service of farmers and gardeners in a daily illustrated Catalogue, issued FREE. No grower of seeds, professional or amateur, can afford to be without the valuable information contained in this catalogue. Send for it.

America's Best for 1903!

The plants to make this attractive and showy bed are worth from \$2.75 to \$5.00, according to size, but you can have the seeds to grow them, free of charge, by enclosing this advertisement with your cash order amounting to \$1.00 or more. See large illustration and full description in Landreth's Catalogue. Write today for the catalogue.

Big Return on a 25c Investment.

SEED ENOUGH TO PRODUCE

Which collection of seeds for twenty-five (25) cents enclosed with the Order will be mailed, postpaid.

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JAMES VICK,
Formerly of Rochester, New York,
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Three trains daily between Henderson, Owensboro, Louisville and points East. Excellent connections in Louisville for Frankfort, Lexington, Cincinnati and Eastern cities. Elegant equipments on all trains. Parlor cars on day trains. Pullman Vestibuled Sleepers on night trains.

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LOUISVILLE, KY.**

BURPEE'S Largest Mail-Order Seed House in the World. Buy in bulk or by mail. We have your choice of 1000 seeds for 1903, which cannot be had elsewhere. Write today (a postal card will do) for our complete catalogue and we will send you a sample of our seeds. **W. H. BURPEE & SONS, Philadelphia.**

THE SIGN LANGUAGE.

Is Extensively Used by the Lower Orders of Life.

"The sign language, once forming such an extensive part of the human vocabulary, and still used with much profit, is not unknown to lower orders of life," said a man who takes much interest in matters of this sort, according to the New Orleans Times-Democrat, "and I have had occasion in my time to observe some rather impressive instances. Some of the signs are understandable. Many of them are plain as the words of human speech, as, for instance, the speaker's low call, the rabbit's drumming, the head gesture which accompanies the cluck of the old hen when she is trying to attract the attention of her brood to a bit of food she has uncovered in the soil. But there are many mysterious and altogether inexplicable things to be found in this strange realm of signs. Every sign means something. We may be sure of that. It is a part and parcel of speech. It conveys a meaning definite enough to the creatures in the particular order of life. But there are so many signs which are not followed by results which throw light on their meaning, that the field becomes one for interesting speculative inquiry. What does the duck mean, for instance, when simply bobbing the head up and down? It is not confined to one sex. Drakes and hens resort to the same form of speech. I have seen them go through this motion in perfect silence, and when the motion of the head would not be followed by any other activity, or by sound of any sort. They just nod and nod. It may be simply a friendly sort of greeting, a nod of reassurance that all is quiet on the Potomac, and that there is no fox or other dangerous intruder anywhere around. Or it may be a divertive sort of speech, the duck's way of smiling and goo-gooing. I don't know how this is. I simply know that it happens. It may be, of course, that this movement of the head and neck is physically necessary, like the habit of yawning or the unconscious movement of the limbs of human beings. But ducks yawn and stretch very much after the fashion of the human kind. Still the movement to which I have referred may result from a similar motive. I would like to know. Can any man tell me what a duck means by simply nodding to one or more of his companions?"

LEADING UP TO IT.

How Travers Asked His Friend to Lend Him Money.

Travers—I want to ask you a question. Suppose that five years from now I should be walking in the streets clothed literally in rags, wearing a battered old hat, and shoes full of holes, would you think enough of me then to take me by the hand, buy me a new outfit, give me a bath, and put five pounds in my hand, and send me away with your blessing?

Dasher—Why, of course I would. How absurd!

Travers—Then bring the scene a little nearer. Suppose that in four years from now you should meet me as I have described myself, with this exception—that I had a good hat. Would you still do the square thing?

Dasher—Why, certainly! What? Travers—Make it still nearer. Call it three years and say I didn't need a bath. Throw off the blessing and make it two years.

Dasher (facetiously)—Make it a year, with a good pair of shoes, eh? substitute a new ball and—(a great light dawning on him)—oh—

Travers—And if you are a man of your word, let me have five pounds.

—London Tit-Bits.

A Twisted Tongue.

Rev. W. A. Spooner, an English clergyman, is afflicted with a habit of mixing up words in absurd fashion. He once astonished his congregation by saying that some one present doubtless had in his heart "a half-examined fish." He meant to say "half-formed wish." A hymn beginning "Conquering kings their title take" was turned into "Kinkering kong's their title take," and the fifty-first psalm was announced as the "fusty fifth."

Beavers at Work.

Members of the Denver Academy of Natural Sciences, who have been studying the construction of beaver dams recently, having seen the animals at work, say that their tails are used simply as signals, and not, as has been commonly believed, as articles for beating down the mud used in building their dams. The signal is given by dipping the water with the tail, and the beavers pay instant attention to it.

EVER WATCHFUL.

A Little Care Will Save the Reader Future Trouble.

Watch the kidney secretions, see that they have the amber hue of health. The discharges not excessive or frequent. Doan's Kidney Pills will do this for you. They watch the kidneys and cure them when they're sick. Mr. John Zolles, City Auditor, residing at 731 Robert street, Newport, Ky., says: "A man who has never had backache or kidney complaint in any of its many forms can scarcely gauge the misery a sufferer endures who is annoyed day and night by such a complaint. I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and take a course of the treatment. The result of the use of three boxes proved to me that the remedy is up to representations and deserves my unqualified endorsement."

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. Refused Application for Bail. At Columbia, South Carolina, Chief Justice Pope refused the application for bail in the case of former Lieut. Gov. J. H. Tillman, charged with the murder of N. G. Gonzales. Weak and Low Spirited. A Correspondent Thus Describes His Experience. "I can strongly recommend Herbine as a medicine of remarkable efficacy for indigestion, loss of appetite, sour taste in the mouth, palpitation, headache, drowsiness after meals and low spirits. Herbine must be a unique preparation for these ailments, for a few doses entirely removed my complaint. I wonder at people suffering and spending their money on worthless things when Herbine is procurable and so cheap. 50c a bottle at R. C. Hardwick."

Extra Session Probable.

Unless both the Panama canal and the Cuban reciprocity treaties are ratified before March 4 an extra session of the Senate will be convened by the President.

Cancer Cured!

Mr. W. W. Pickett, Smithfield, Ill., writes, Sept. 10th, 1901: "I had been suffering several years with a Cancer on my face, which gave me great annoyance and unsightly disfigurement. I was using Ballard's Snow Liniment on a sore on my leg, and through an accident I rubbed some of it on my face and as it gave almost instant relief, decided to keep on using the liniment and in a short time the cancer came out, my face healed up and there is not the slightest scar left. I have implicit faith in the merits of this preparation and it cannot be too highly recommended. 25c 50c and \$1. For sale by R. C. Hardwick."

Desperate Negro Shot.

Lafayette Sims, a desperate negro, barricaded himself in a room at New Orleans and held fifty police at bay. He was finally driven out by fire and shot down as he fled.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itching of the skin in any part of the body: Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Board of Examination Appointed.

The Board of Examination of Kentucky applicants for Cecil Rhodes' scholarships at Oxford has been appointed.

Get What You Ask For!

When you ask for Cascarets Candy Coughs be sure you get them. Genuine Cascarets Candy Coughs are always a cheat and a fraud. Beware! All druggists, 10c.

March National Magazine.

Leading features of the March National Magazine are: How I Ran for the Presidency, by Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood, the only woman who ever made that race; The Great Republic of the Future, by Archbishop John Ireland; Give the Boy a Fair Chance, by Secretary Leslie M. Shaw; Personal Recollections of Lincoln and Statesmen of his time, by Colonel James Matlock Scovel; and The One Thousand Dozen, a great Klondike story by Jack London. There are scores of other fresh and readable articles, stories, poems and department.

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DISCHARGED.

Magistrate at Examining Trial Decides He Acted in Self-Defense.

The Case Against Sheriff Holland For Killing Hardy Keys Closed Yesterday at Murray.

The examining trial of L. W. Holland, sheriff of Calloway county, for killing Mr. Hardy Keys at Murray on Friday night, February 6, was concluded yesterday and the accused discharged from custody on the grounds of self-defense by Magistrate Swan, before whom the examining trial was held.

On the night of February 6, Sheriff Holland and several others were in a law office in Murray discussing politics, and hearing some one step up to the front of the building and stop, Holland went to the door and discovered Mr. Keys, whom he accused of eavesdropping and invited him inside. Keys resented the accusation of eavesdropping by calling Holland a liar and the affray which ended Keys' life began. Holland states that Keys after denouncing him started toward him and that he heard the click of a knife as it being opened, and immediately drew his revolver and fired twice, both bullets taking effect in Keys' body and from the effects of which he died in a few moments. A knife was found near the place where Keys fell. The friends of the dead man claim that Keys had no knife or that the knife found near by was not his, and that he made no hostile demonstration towards Holland.

Both men stood high in Calloway county and each have many friends. Iloa. W. M. Reed, of this city, and S. H. Crossland, of Mayfield, were employed by the Keys family to assist the county attorney in prosecuting the case, while Holland was detained by Messrs. Linn, Coleman and Wells, of Murray. The county judge was objected to by the defense and the examining trial was held before Magistrate Swan, beginning last Thursday. The taking of the evidence consumed three days and yesterday morning the speaking began and speeches were made by Messrs. Wells, Reed, Linn, Crossland, Coleman and county attorney. After which the magistrate rendered his decision discharging Holland from custody—Paducah Register.

DON'T TOBACCO SPT AND SMOKE

Your Life! You are one of the many who are suffering from the effects of tobacco and smoke. It makes weak men strong, and gives them the power to do great things. It is the only thing that can cure you of your weakness. It is the only thing that can give you the power to do great things. It is the only thing that can cure you of your weakness. It is the only thing that can give you the power to do great things.

DEAD AT AGE OF 107.

John Couch, Dead at Hyden, Lived in Three Centuries.

Hyden, Ky., Feb. 25.—John Couch, perhaps the eldest citizen anywhere in this section, died a few miles from here last night of grip. He claimed to be 112 years old, but some very old people say that he was 107. He was fifty years old at the birth of his first child, Levi, who now lives in Wolfe county. He leaves a family of twelve children, all of whom are married and have families. His life covered three centuries.

CASTORIA.

It is the only thing that can cure you of your weakness. It is the only thing that can give you the power to do great things. It is the only thing that can cure you of your weakness. It is the only thing that can give you the power to do great things.

A Woman's Age.

This is the situation: If you don't want to know a woman's age she would just as soon tell you, but if she thinks you are curious, she will die first.—Atchison Globe.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

People Should Use It More.

There is a word in the vocabulary of most people's lives that is never used: restraint.—Atchison Globe.

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Hon. J. H. Hendrick and Judge H. B. Beckwith, candidates for Congress and the bench, respectively, will speak in Frankfort next Monday, and from now on the political campaign may be expected to be well.

Editor Haag of the Henderson Gleaner, won his big damage suit, and will not have to pay Prof. Hayes that \$25,800. Congressman Stanley, as his chief attorney, has won laurels as a lawyer and orator.

King Edward has personally notified President D. R. Francis that he would exhibit the priceless collection of presents, received by Queen Victoria during the jubilee, at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The exhibit will be the Kings personal contribution to ward the success of the exposition.

The M. R. D. Donator presents an unusually excellent collection of literary treasures and an inviting display of the treasures for Spring in the Social Hall of the Army and Navy. William (Pawnee) writes of the social triumphs of the new arms of the human, deflates, affiant and ashore. In action two excellent short stories are conspicuous. The wreck of the Night Express, an exciting railroad story by Francis Lynde with illustrations by Marchand, and A Competent Spinster, a delightful tale of the deeds of a strenuous girl, written by Jeanne Drake and illustrated by A. I. Keller. The love story Thyra Varrick, drawing to a close, yet increases in interest. A quaint Philadelphia house Co. the subject of the article in the Homes of the Past and Present series. In the Miladi papers Miss Clara F. Laughlin writes entertainingly of woman's relations to the hand-made and the product of the factory. Mrs. Bersey's article on fear, anxiety and grief in children is of special interest to parents, and the sewing lesson will prove of benefit to the children, for whom there are the usual stories and postures. The social, fancy-work and household departments are up to the usual standard.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every copy of catfish that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Sworn to before me and subscribed to my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

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PLANS GO THROUGH.

Beckham Machine and Louisville Ring Join Hand.

Local Candidates Quickly Forced Off The Track.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 25.—An all-out effort to get Beckham and the Louisville Machine to join hands in the coming election, has resulted in the quick removal of several local candidates.

Carroll and Page, candidates respectively for criminal judge and county clerk, retired from the race today, as part of the plan.

Joseph Pryor, who had been running against Judge Muir for one of the other judgeships, has announced as a candidate for criminal judge and in accordance with the plan will have no opposition. Muir will also have a clear field. Toney is to be beaten for judge.

According to the program the call for a primary will be withdrawn and a convention ordered.

LOCAL ENGINEER

Of Tennessee Central Road Opens Office Here.

Mr. W. H. Taylor has been appointed resident engineer of the Tennessee Central Railroad and has opened an office in the Cooper building. His assistants are Messrs. D. D. Wilcox and A. E. Elling. Mr. Taylor and his assistants will have charge of the work of construction on the new road, which will be pushed vigorously from now on.

The Bride Is Fifteen

Haverdsbury, Ky., Feb. 25.—Miss Edna T. Lunsford, the fifteen-year-old daughter of Wm. Lunsford, of the West end of the county, today became Mrs. James Verdemore. The father of the bride accompanied the wedding party to the clerk's office and gave his consent to the issuing of the license. County Judge H. F. Roach performed the ceremony.

Death of Col. George Weissinger.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 25.—Col. George Weissinger, retired attorney and distinguished Confederate soldier, died last evening. He served on the staff of Gen. Brice in the Missouri campaign, and lost his right arm at Pea Ridge. He was also judge advocate general of the department of Texas during the war. He was a brother of Harry Weissinger, the millionaire tobaccoist.

THREE MEN WOUNDED.

Perhaps Fatal Shooting Occurs at a Dance.

Washington, Ky., Feb. 25.—Jas. England was shot at a dance here last night. A musician and another guest were also suspected. The British brothers, who are suspected of the shooting, have fled. England is badly wounded.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed in federal court Monday by Edward M. J. Gooch, of Hopkinsville. His liabilities are \$2,638.72 and his assets \$124.30, which he claims are exempt.—Owensboro Messenger.

HERE'S RICHNESS.

Louisville Kicking Like a Steer on Primary.

Good Enough For Country Precincts But Too Costly For City.

Members of the Democratic City and County Executive Committee are considering the question of withdrawing the call for a primary election on April 7 and ordering a convention instead. The members of the committee are in consultation with leading Democrats and many of the candidates, with a view of reaching an agreement on this point which will satisfy all concerned.

Since the withdrawal of Judge Asher G. Caruth and Mr. John H. Page from two of the races the members of the committee have been urged to withdraw the call for the primary. The expense of holding a primary would be great, and it has been represented to the committee that nominations for the offices now being contested for could be made in conventions with as much satisfaction to the rank and file and to the candidates themselves as in a primary. No hasty action will be taken by the committee, and before any decision is reached the candidates will be consulted. It may be several days before the committee is called together to discuss the subject, and the matter may not be decided for two or three weeks. The Executive Committee can withdraw the call for a primary at any time.—Louisville Times.

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Will Mr. Beckham meet Mr. Hendrick on the stump? Not much! He knows John Hendrick and knows, too, what he would do for him. Little Ben Beck won't be there.—Murray Times.

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HERNDON NOTES.

Herndon, Ky., Feb. 25.—Mr. Ralph Clayton, of Hopkinsville, is a guest in our city now.

Mr. Fulton Major, of Beverly, was in our city Monday.

Rev. Crowe, of Lafayette, is spending a few days in our town.

Mr. John Hopkins was in your city on business Monday.

Miss Cason, of Pembroke, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Bouldin.

Miss Gussie Young, of Bennetts-town, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Ada Dawson.

Mr. Wm. Bridges, of Weaver's Store, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Lacy.

The Misses Anderson's entertained a few of their friends at Finch Wednesday night.

Miss Emma Wilson, of Roaring Springs, is the guest of Mrs. A. L. Cronshaw.

Mrs. S. H. Johnson, of near Striped Bridge, visited Mrs. W. C. Dawson last week.

Miss Maude Dawson has returned home after a three weeks' visit to her grandmother, at Bennetts-town.

Miss Katie Carter, of Church Hill, is spending this week with her cousins, Misses Worman and Eunice Carter.

Mrs. T. V. Dawson, who has had a severe cold all winter, we are pleased to say is able to be out again.

Prayer meeting services were held here Sunday night. It was largely attended, and great interest is being manifested.

Miss Maude Faulkner has returned home after an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. T. D. McGee, at Bennetts-town.

Messrs. Bennie Johnson and Dennis Thomas, of Bennetts-town, attended prayer-meeting here Sunday night. While crossing Dry Branch, which was out of its banks, Bennie came very near losing his hat, but at the risk of his life and regardless of cold weather and high water, he plunged in after it, and it is needless to say saved his hat. "Two BLACK BEAUTIES."

HAAG WINS.

Nine Jurors Sign Verdict For Defendant.

Henderson, Ky., Feb. 25.—At 2:10 o'clock this afternoon the jury in the Hayes-Haag damage suit, in which H. A. Hayes sued F. Haag for \$25,800 for slander and malicious prosecution, rendered a verdict for the defendant. Nine of the jurymen signed the verdict, three holding out for a verdict for the plaintiff. The first vote taken in the jury-room showed seven for the plaintiff and five for the defendant.

Younger Sees Former Sweetheart.

Cole Younger's sweetheart of former days is a grandmother. When the former bandit last saw her she was nineteen years old. To-day he saw her for the first time in more than twenty-seven years. He did not recognize her. It is hard for him to understand that time is remorseless, and that since he was a young man in Jackson county people have grown older and that many changes have been made in the scenes once so familiar to him.—(Kansas City Telegram to the Philadelphia Record.

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This popular troupe will play a return engagement at Holland's Opera House, Wednesday night, March 4, presenting "A Gilded Love." Nat Goodwin's famous comedy. This company is a decided favorite with theatre going people of Hopkinsville and they always play to a crowded house.

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A VOTING contest was begun August 29, for six months, to determine by popular vote the most popular lady in Christian County. To the lady receiving the highest number of votes, we will present an elegant set of bedroom furniture, now on exhibition at Pyle & Garnett's. It is of quartered oak, of the finest make and latest style, and is worth \$100. The contest will close at 12 o'clock, noon, Thursday, March 4th, 1903. The plan will be as follows:

Every subscriber to the Kentuckian who pays back dues or cash in advance will be entitled to cast one vote for each five cents paid. That is to say, a subscriber who pays \$2.00 will have 40 votes, one who pays \$1.00 will have 20 votes and so on for any amount large or small. In every paper published there will be a coupon and these coupons when cut out and brought or sent to the office will represent each one vote. A subscriber will also have the privilege of gathering up coupons clipped by friends from their papers and voting them one at a time, or by the hundred if preferred. One will also have the privilege of buying papers at the office at five cents each and voting the coupons cut from them.

The coupon ballots will be deposited in a ballot box with two keys. One of these keys will be held by County Judge W. T. Fowler and the other by Mayor Jovett Henry. The box will be opened not oftener than once a week, all ballots then in it taken out, counted and certified to, sealed up in an envelope and placed in the ballot box. The envelope will contain a statement of the votes in it, so that its contents will not need to be counted again until the official count at the close of the contest.

The last week of the contest the ballots may be deposited without showing them, so that the close of the contest may be secret and exciting to the end.

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A Brief History of the Grange Organizations

As Given in a Paper Read by George W. Cary, From a
Hard Struggle to Brilliant Success.

I SHALL not attempt to go into the details of the organization and development of the Patrons of Husbandry in an exhaustive manner, but rather in a superficial way, to give some ideas concerning the characters of the men who were its founders and of the manner of its development as well as its difficulties through which it has passed. The idea of this order originated in the head of a Minnesota farmer, O. H. Kelly by name.

The seasons of '92 and '93 were exceedingly dry in Minnesota, causing Mr. Kelly to turn his attention to other channels than farming for support. Accordingly, he laid down the shovel and hoe and took up the pen. His articles were received with favor in the newspapers, but he not being in harmony with this work, welcomed an appointment to a clerkship in the department of agriculture at Washington, where he spent the summer of 1894, returning to his Minnesota farm in the spring of 1895. In the fall of 1895 he was recalled to Washington and was appointed to a clerkship, the object of which was by investigation to regain the statistics relative to the agricultural and commercial resources of the south, which had been discontinued during the war. While traveling in the south he was greatly impressed with the lack of harmony which existed between the people of the north and south, and it was with the idea of establishing kindly feelings between the people that the formation of this organization first occurred to him. Mr. Kelly was a mason, and was greatly aided in this work by members of that fraternity. To some of these, as we shall presently see, he made known his plan, also to his niece, Miss C. A. Hall, of Boston, and on a visit to her in the spring of 1896 she proposed that if such an organization was formed women should be admitted to full membership. So we must give to them the credit of inserting into the organization that feature which makes it preeminent among social organizations.

The following summer Mr. Kelly spent on his Itasca (Minn.) farm, but received an appointment to the post office department in January, 1897. Thus far no real work had been done upon the order. It had merely been talked about, principally between a Rev. John Tribbe, Mr. Kelly and Miss Hall. During the following summer, Mr. Kelly made the acquaintance of W. M. Ireland, who was chief clerk of the finance office of the post office department and was also a prominent member of the masonic order.

The idea of the organization was broached to Mr. Ireland and was received with such encouraging effect that Mr. Kelly penciled out a plan for the ritual, which manuscript was forwarded to Miss Hall for her criticism. During the summer a William Saunders, another mason, was taken into confidence, and from the position which he held in the department of agriculture, and from the opportunity which soon came to him of attending a meeting of the United States Pomological society, where he in a quiet way conveyed this organization, and procured himself a valuable adjunct to his interest, and through his efforts Anson Bartlett, of Madison, O., still another mason, was brought into the order and aided materially in its development.

So far the proposed term to be applied to the local organizations had been "lodges," but Mr. Bartlett objected to this term, as there exists in the minds of some a prejudice against anything under the name of "lodges," and he wisely suggested that as this was to be an organization of farmers, some name derived from or applied to the cultivation of the soil would be more appropriate, and suggested "granges" or "vineyard" for these local organizations, and Independent Farmers was the first name which he proposed for the order. From this a general discussion was opened relative to name, and in place of "lodges" such names were suggested as "fields," "farms," "beehives," "gardens," "groves," "arbors," etc., and we might suggest right here that perhaps the term "beehives" would be more appropriate for some of these modern "lodges."

Various names were also proposed for the order, among which were Independent Order of Progressive Farmers, Knights of the Plow, Knights of the Plow, Lords of the Soil, Brethren of the Vine, Temple of Industry, Companions of Labor, etc., etc.

About this time, with a view to ascertaining the views of some of the leading horticulturists in different parts of the country, 300 circulars were gotten out and forwarded to them. The result was some very encouraging replies and several more lively correspondents. At this period of its career, the idea of the founders was to make advancement through the different degrees a matter of study. The passing from one degree to another was to be something parallel with the advancement from one grade to another in school. Several months might perhaps be necessary to gain a thorough knowledge of the studies of one degree, but this idea did not obtain.

In November of this same year, 1897, Bro. Kelly proposed the name of "League of Husbandry" for the order, and "granges" instead of "lodges."

The word "grange," which means "farm," was taken from a novel advertised about that time. Anson Bartlett proposed the name of "Patrons of Husbandry" for the order, upon the receipt of which proposal Mr. Kelly substituted "husbandry" for "industry," thus evolving the terms "Patrons of Husbandry" and "Grange."

So far no organization had been made, but work on the ritual, ceremonies of installations and dedication of halls was progressing, and it was not until December 4, 1897, that the National Grange was organized, with W. M. Ireland as master. On January 7, 1898, a special meeting of this National Grange was called, to which the master and two members responded. Bro. Ireland was instructed to organize a subordinate grange, which was to be a school of instruction under the direct supervision of the National Grange. This grange was to be known as Potomac Grange, No. 1, and every member was expected to make himself familiar with every part of the work, so that when called upon he could fill any position.

On the evening of January 8, 1898, the first meeting of this first subordinate grange was held in a room on North street, Washington, D. C. Up to this time the idea of the founders of the order had been to have an order of three degrees, but this now was entirely changed, for the order was to consist of seven degrees, as we now have it. The seventh degree (Demeter) was taken from an ancient association which once flourished in the United States, and was accordingly accepted as its supreme head, with the title of High Priest of Demeter.

In February Mr. Kelly resigned his position in the post office department and gave his entire time to the completion of the work, and during this month and the next he was engaged in the development of the ritual and to the working up of his subordinate grange, which by this time had increased so that there were 30 brothers and sisters present on February 19, and it was at this meeting that a Mr. Boardman resigned the first two degrees, he being the first person ever regularly initiated in due form in this order.

Mr. Kelly continued in his work until April 3, when, feeling that his work was well established, he started out on his work of organizing new granges, and after buying his ticket to Harrisburg, Pa., he had put \$2.50 in his pocket, intending to work his way by organizing granges from Washington to Minnesota. After two vain attempts the first regularly organized grange was ever started, and had in being, was instituted at Fredonia, N. Y.

Mr. Kelly continued his journey with no less success, reaching Chicago April 21, and continued, meeting his first failure at Madison, Wis. He reached home about the first of May, but during that year continued in the work of organizing granges in his own state to supplement his usual farm work. The first person ever obligated and initiated in this order in Minnesota was Mr. Kelly's eldest daughter, Julia. She also officiated as Pomona in the state grange of Minnesota the first of July, 1898, the fifth degree was conferred. During the same season, a brother in St. Paul composed two songs for the order and the Misses Kelly, who have been previously mentioned, composed others from time to time until the first song book was issued.

Up to the present, the outlook for the order has been very bright, but no encouraging letters began to be received and six new granges were organized in January and February, 1899. On February 22 the state grange of Minnesota was organized. April 13, at two p. m., the first annual session of the National Grange was called to order, but no important business was transacted. During the spring of 1899, the fifth degree manual was completed and the fifth degree conferred for the first time at the Minnesota state grange that summer. Mr. Kelly, aided by a few deputies whom he had appointed, was pushing the work of establishing granges throughout the summer, with the result that August 1 found 25 subordinate granges firmly planted in the United States, but at the close of the year the number had increased to 49 and one state grange, that of Minnesota.

During the year 1899, 42 granges were organized, and the first state grange in Pennsylvania was made by the Fredonia (N. Y.) grange proposing to buy seed at wholesale. July 4, 1899, the first grange of the year 1900 was organized. The year 1901 closed with 123 new granges organized and paid for, against 38 the previous year. The report of the year 1902 shows that during the year 1,105 granges had taken out dispensations, and after five years of hard struggle this was the first really successful year. The work continued, and in the year 1893, 622 dispensations were granted. In 1874, 13,941 granges were organized.

So the work continued to the present time. At times it has reached the zenith of hope and at others has fallen to the nadir of despair, but never in the history has it been more in favor than at the present day. Like many new enterprises, the promoters had much to learn before they were placed upon a firm foundation.

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MAJ. J. O. FERRELL

Stricken With Severe Stroke of Paralysis.

Lies Critically Ill at His Home—His Son at His Bedside.

Maj. J. O. Ferrell, principal of Hopkinsville High School, was stricken with paralysis at ten o'clock Tuesday night and his condition is very critical.

He had taught school as usual during the day and after supper was taken with a headache and retired early. About ten o'clock he called to Mrs. Ferrell and upon going to him she found him trying to rise but unable to do so. His physician was sent for and found one entire side paralyzed and the sufferer has since been in a half-conscious condition.

His son, Prof. Clifton C. Ferrell, of Oxford, Miss., who is a professor in the University of Mississippi, was wired and arrived yesterday morning.

Maj. Ferrell has conducted Hopkinsville High School since September 1873, almost 30 years. Of late years it has been a select limited school for young men. He now has twenty pupils, one half of whom board with his family. The school is temporarily suspended, but by next week an arrangement will most probably be made to resume with a substitute teacher, pending Maj. Ferrell's disability.

He is not liable to be able to do any more active work, should he recover, but may be able to direct matters to some extent until the close of the present session.

Maj. Ferrell is one of the most useful and beloved men in Hopkinsville. He is now in his 71st year and nearly half of his life has been spent in Hopkinsville. He was a Confederate soldier with a record for great bravery and devotion to the "Lost Cause."

He is superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School and his place in that position will be very hard to fill.

In all the walks of life he has been upright, honorable and faithful.

Hundreds of middle-aged men all over Kentucky have been his pupils and in many cases he has taught fathers and sons. Some of his present pupils are sons of his former pupils. He is greatly beloved now only by his old "boys," as he always calls them, but by the entire community.

His wife and son have the sympathies of all in their trouble.

PEACHES KILLED.

The Zero Weather Did the Work of Destruction.

Unless there are some dormant buds to show themselves hereafter, the peach crop has been destroyed, at least in such localities as Hopkinsville.

Several persons who have examined the trees say all of the buds appear dead or apparently so.

The warm days preceding the blizzard had caused the buds to swell and they were in no condition to stand a severe freeze.

This will cause great regret, as there were no peaches last year. The peach crop is getting to be very uncertain in this part of the country. There has been only one full crop in five years and two total failures not counting this year.

A Child Sent to the Pen

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—Stanley Griggs, aged ten years, has been received at the penitentiary from Larue county. He will be transferred to the Lexington reform school.

Here and There.

Dr. Yates fits glasses.

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Mrs. Mary Burton, of Graves county, is dead at the great age of 112 years.

Wild Goose Liment cures rheumatism and neuralgia. 25c at all druggists.

Have your furniture repaired and mirrors resilvered now. It will be cheaper than after the spring rush begins. W. A. Woods.

An Indianapolis man who has been married four times is accused of killing the first three and trying to murder the last one.

STRAYED—2 year old black and white bull. White swith. No ear mark. Black ears. Telephone, see or write to W. P. Winfree, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Mr. Drake, of Detroit, the new wash man of the Hopkinsville Steam Laundry, is certainly turning out the finest work ever done in the city.

BEGAN YESTERDAY.

Farmers' Institute Now in Session at Pembroke.

The Farmers' Institute is in session at Pembroke. The institute began yesterday and will close this evening. Prof. C. E. Dudley, superintendent of the Pembroke Public Schools and President of the Commercial Club at that place, delivered the welcoming address, which was responded to by Mr. L. B. Nall, Commissioner of Agriculture. The institute is being conducted under the auspices of the State Bureau of Agriculture and the Pembroke Farmers' Club. The attendance on yesterday was quite large and a much larger crowd is expected to-day. A most excellent program is being carried out.

VICTIM OF HEART DISEASE.

Dr. Edward Hobbs Luckett Dies at Owensboro.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 25.—Dr. Edward Hobbs Luckett, one of the most prominent physicians in Western Kentucky, died at his residence here. He was suddenly stricken with heart disease about ten days ago and since that time his death had been momentarily expected.

For almost fifty years he had practiced his profession here and had built up a large and lucrative practice.

Dr. Williams' Patent.

Dr. M. W. Williams, of this city, has been granted a patent for improvements in a steam feed-cooking apparatus.

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WARD INDICTED.

True Bill Against Missing Superintendent of O. F. O. H.

The grand jury at Clarksville has indicted H. D. Ward, the missing Superintendent of the Odd Fellows Orphans' Home, charging him with violating the age of consent law. The victim being under 12 years of age, the offense becomes rape, the punishment for which is death or imprisonment for not less than twenty years. Ward has not yet been located.

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PETTY THIEVING.

Feat House Robbed and Men Roost Raided.

Thieves entered Mr. G. D. Dalton's smoke house Wednesday night and carried off a lot of meat. This is the second time Mr. Dalton's meat house has been robbed recently. Mr. Harvey Breshitt's hen roost was also raided a few nights ago and several fine fowls carried off.

MOTHER'S AWFUL ERROR.

Kills Her Child By Giving Poison Instead of Headache Powders.

Shelbyville, Ky., Feb. 25.—Mrs. J. R. Shipman gave her nine-year-old daughter, Katherine, strychnine by mistake for headache powders, and the child died in agony to-day.

Personal Gossip.

Mr. C. H. Nash, Jr., is at Dawson Spring.

Mr. G. E. Bayneham, of Cadiz, was in the city Tuesday.

Col. Jovett Henry made a business trip to Louisville this week.

Mrs. J. H. Dagg is visiting relatives in Henderson.

Mr. Roy Garrett has gone to Florida to be absent some time.

Miss Edna Lander, of Empire, is spending the week with relatives here.

Mrs. Jennie Chalkley left this week for Richmond, Va., to visit her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Major, of Earlinton, are visiting relatives in the city and county.

Miss Edna Frankel and little brother, Slaughter, have returned from a visit to friends in Henderson.

Mr. T. D. Jameson and family, of Pembroke, have returned from a sojourn of several months in Winter Haven, Fla.

Mr. Walter Trainum returned this week from New York City, where he spent several weeks in the interest of J. H. Anderson & Co's dry goods store.

Miss Bessie Bates, of Illinois, who had been visiting here for some time, returned home this week, accompanied by Mrs. P. M. Skarry, who will visit her parents.

HISGEN-MUNDT.

Hopkinsville Man and Illinois Woman Married This Week.

Mr. J. W. Hisgen, of this place, and Miss Lucile Mundt, of Illinois, were married at the home of the bride's mother Tuesday night.

The groom is the son of Mr. C. H. Hisgen and recently returned from Beaumont, Texas, where he had been engaged in the oil business for some months.

His bride is a young woman possessing many charms and is very popular. The young people are now on a tour of the Eastern cities, and on their return will make their home in this city.

The Weather.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—(Special).—Weather for Kentucky: Rain or snow to-night. Friday colder.

BARGAINS!

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